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Central District Health Board to hold special meeting on Thursday, September 3 to discuss petition from Boise bar owners

Ada County — The Central District Health (CDH) Board of Health will gather for a special meeting (hearing) on Thursday, September 3 at 5:15 pm to discuss a petition recently submitted to CDH by a group of 10 Boise bar owners. The petition asks CDH to grant permission to 12 listed bars to reopen with specific outlined prevention measures in place, including safety measures for employees, sanitation of facilities, safety measures for customers, and bar owner protocols for monitoring, tracking and reporting any positive or likely COVID-19 cases to CDH.

A copy of the petition and the meeting agenda are posted to the CDH Board of Health Meetings page at https://www.cdh.idaho.gov/about-boardofhealth-meetings.php. As part of the public health order enacted by CDH's Board of Health, bars and nightclubs were closed on June 24, 2020.

The special Board meeting will be held virtually and will be streamed live on CDH's YouTube page at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4LJ1BM5Jv3zczecnYkXarw/. Only petitioners and associated representatives will be allowed to provide input during the meeting.

Two public viewing rooms that collectively seat up to 17 people will be available at CDH's headquarters, located at 707 N. Armstrong Place, Boise. Masks must be worn and physical distancing practiced.

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Related Documents: 9/3/20 Special Meeting (Hearing) Notice and Board Agenda. Also available at https://www.cdh.idaho.gov/about-boardofhealth-meetings.php

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